SENATE BILL 644 By Woodson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, relative to higher education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-210(b), is amended by adding the following as a new appropriately designated subdivision:

(___) The number of patents granted to the institution.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.